



Newsletter

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Nassau County Legislative Breakfast was held at the Manhasset Public Library on Friday, September 18, 2009. During these difficult economic times, our libraries are being used even more. I would like to thank members of the New York State Legislature, the Long Island Library Resource Council, the NCLA Legislation Committee, Member Library Directors, NLS, Dr. Arthur Friedman, and everyone who took the time to attend this event and show their support to libraries! I would also like to thank the Manhasset Public Library for hosting this event.

On September 23, 2009, the Civil Service Committee of the Member Library Directors and the Nassau County Library Association held a Civil Service Forum that was well-attended and received positive feedback.

This committee has been working hard and has prepared two brochures: The "How To Get Hired As a Librarian In Nassau Public Libraries" has been updated, and a "How To Get a Civil

Service Job In Nassau Libraries" was also prepared for Support Staff.

On September 25, 2009, I had the honor to be a speaker with Roseanne Crudo, Syosset Public Library, at the NCLA Clerical Division Roundtable that was held at the Merrick Public Library. This event was well-attended, informative, and fun. Diane Miller of ALIS was also present at this event and was very helpful.

The NCLA Divisions and Committees have been working hard to plan programs with your interests in mind. Please visit our website at www.ncla.info for program information. We look forward to seeing you at one of the many upcoming events.

Chris Marra
NCLA President



Due to circumstances beyond our control, the venue for LILRC's 18th Annual Conference on Libraries and the Future will be relocated as follows:

Thursday Dinner, October 29, 2009 - Long Island University, C. W. Post, Top of the Commons

Friday Program, October 30, 2009 - New York Institute of Technology, deSeversky Center

For further information and a registration form, go to http://www.lilrc.org/calendars/cont_edcalendar.php

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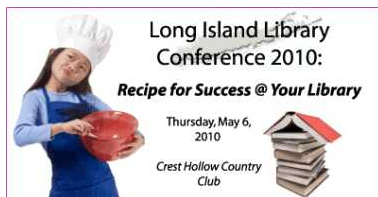
ASLD News

The Academic & Special Libraries Division Board met on Friday, September 18, 2009, to work on upcoming programs.

The next ASLD Roundtable is tentatively scheduled for November 20, 2009, but I am still in the process of confirming a speaker. The title of the Roundtable is "Non-Library Jobs for Librarians." Seating will be limited to 16 people (ASLD members of NCLA). The fee per person is \$15.00. Interested members should email me, at presidentasld@gmail.com.

You will also receive ballots for 2010 Officers (Vice-President and Secretary). Our next Division meeting will be at 2:00 p.m. at the B. Davis Schwartz Memorial Library of C.W Post in the Reference Break Room on Friday, October 16, 2009.

John N. Varrone
ASLD President



Young Adult Services Division News



As soon as YA librarians recovered from our busy summers, we turned our attention to fall activities, the new school year, and introducing the newest crop of teens and tweens to library services. We are also looking forward to an interesting year of professional development. The YASD board has been actively brainstorming new initiatives and strategies for implementing our existing plans for 2009/10.

Among the events we are looking forward to is our annual December conference to be held on Thursday, December 10, 2009, at the Rockville Centre Public Library at 9:30 am. We are fortunate to have Karen Strauss, Partner and Chief Innovation Officer of Ketchum Advertising Agency as our speaker. She specializes in assessing marketplace needs, advancing ideas with the best chance of returns, and then taking new services to the public.



Her presentation, "Driven to Distraction - How to Reel Teens In," will focus on helping us learn to identify the unmet needs of teens and shape services to provide them. She will present strategies to market and deliver these services in today's information overloaded environment.

In addition to YA librarians, we urge directors, library PR staff and all who work with teens to attend this valuable program.

Terry Ain
YASD President

NCLA E-mail Discussion Group

NCLA has an e-mail discussion group designed to facilitate communication between NCLA colleagues throughout Nassau County. Use this tool to ask a question, advertise a program, post a job opening, or share any library-related information that may be of use to other NCLA members.

To subscribe to the NCLA e-mail discussion group, please visit <http://mail.nassaulibrary.org/mailman/listinfo/ncla>.

Personnel & Professional Issues and Concerns Update

The Personnel & Professional Issues and Concerns Committee met on Wednesday, September 16, 2009, at the Manhasset Public Library. The ongoing project of the committee is the collecting of contracts and policies from the various libraries. We have only received contracts from about a dozen libraries. We must keep in mind that contract negotiations are never far away. If you have not been contacted or have perhaps forgotten, we are requesting that all libraries submit a copy of their contract along with salaries and any policies available. Remember our goal is the same even though our place of employment is different.

The Committee is proud to announce that two workshops focusing on retirement will be offered to members in Spring 2010. The workshops have been planned and will be held in the Community Room of the Manhasset Public Library.

The first workshop will be held on Friday, March 19, 2010, and the topic will be the New York State Retirement System. The second workshop will be held on Friday April 23, 2010, and the topic will be Social Security ... Now and In Retirement. More details about both workshops will be announced in the next Newsletter.

Our next committee meeting will be on Wednesday, January 13, 2010, at 9:30 a.m. at the Manhasset Public Library. All NCLA members are invited to attend.

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2010 NCLA Ballot

The Nominating Committee of the Nassau County Library Association is pleased to announce the following slate of Executive Board Officers for 2010:

Thomas Bazzicalupo, North Bellmore Public Library, will be the NCLA President in 2010. Mr. Bazzicalupo has successfully completed his term as Vice-President/President Elect.

Marcia Olsen, Levittown Public Library, will be serving her second year of a two year term as Treasurer.

Vice-President/President-Elect (2 Year Term):

Kenneth Bellafiore
Natalie Korsavidis

Secretary (1 Year Term):

Maryann Ferro

Directors (2 Year Term):
(Vote for Three Candidates)

Ed Escoffier
Cathy Loechner
Catherine Overton
Tracey Simon
Rachel Taub

Nominations for all elective positions may also be made by petition signed by fifteen members in good standing, filed with the Chairperson of the Nominating Committee no later than October 24, 2009.

Carolyn Voegler
Nominating Committee

Clerical Division News

The Clerical Division hosted a Roundtable at The Merrick Library on Thursday, September 25, 2009. There were discussions about problems in the workplace, both with patrons and co-workers.

The Division will be sponsoring a workshop at the Syosset Library on Friday, November 29, 2009, at 9:30 a.m. The title of the workshop is "Communicate Smarter with People" and will be presented by Ester Bogin of Nassau Community College. Looking forward to seeing many of you there.

Rosanne Crudo
President
NCLA Clerical Division

NASSAU COUNTY
24th LEGISLATIVE BREAKFAST
September 18, 2009
Manhasset Public Library



(L to R): Frank McKenna (Island Trees), Donna McKenna (Williston Park), Senator Carl Marcellino (S.D. 5), Debbie Podolski (Farmingdale), Ellen Firer (Merrick)



Ode to Nassau Libraries

We met with a group who loan books,
Who asked that we give them a second look
So we headed to Albany on a tear
To work hard to bring back their fair share
And we restored even more than they took!

Written by Assemblyman Joseph Saladino (A.D. 12)



(L to R): Arthur Friedman (Nassau Community College) and Marian P. Robertson (Manhasset)



Senator Craig Johnson (S.D. 7)



Jackie Thresher (Nassau Library System)



Richard Tortora (Trustee, Manhasset)



(L to R): Donna McKenna (Williston Park), Frank McKenna (Island Trees), Ellen Firer (Merrick), Assemblyman Joseph Saladino (A.D. 12), Debbie Podolski (Farmingdale), Jackie Thresher (NLS)



Senator Carl Marcellino (S.D. 5)



Herb Biblo (LILRC)



(L to R): Herb Biblo (LILRC), Senator Craig Johnson (S.D. 7), Susan Dillon (Merrick), Joseph Pontecorvo (Island Park), Laura Weir (Great Neck)



(Seated L-R): Carolyn Voegler (Garden City), Carol Probeyahn (East Meadow);
 (Standing L-R): Jeanette Nicoletti (Garden City), Charles W. Simpson (Adelphi University),
 Jude Schanzer (East Meadow), Raymond Voulo for Senator Kemp Hannon,
 Dalal Fatoush (East Meadow), Karen Shaw-Widman (East Meadow)



(L to R): Angela Quartararo (Hempstead) and
 Barbara DeGrace for Assemblyman Bob Barra
 (A.D. 14)



(L to R): Lynn Schaefering for Assemblyman
 Tom McKeivitt (A.D. 17) and Judith Loeb-Mevorach
 (Hillside)



(L to R): Patrick Nicolosi (Elmont), Senator Craig Johnson (S.D. 7), Louise Sobin (Shelter Rock), Jackie Thresher (NLS), Tracey Simon (Floral Park)



(L to R): Maureen Chiofalo (Rockville Centre) and Irene Villacci for Senator Dean G. Skelos (S.D. 9)



(L to R): Sarah Holly for Senator Charles J. Fuschillo (S.D. 8) and Diane Ioulenti for Assemblyman Rob Walker (A.D. 15) and Assemblyman David G. McDonough (A.D. 19) ⇔⇔



(Seated L to R): Susan deSciора (Hewlett-Woodmere), Barbara DeGrace for Assemblyman Bob Barra (A.D. 14), Maureen Chiofalo (Rockville Centre), Irene Villacci for Senator Dean G. Skelos (S.D. 9); (Standing L to R): Karen Porcella (Peninsula), Mamie Eng (Valley Stream), Robyn Gilloon (Lynbrook), H. Maria Sysak (Baldwin), Catherine Overton (Baldwin), Joseph J. Carroll (Baldwin)

NCLA PROPOSED 2010 BUDGET

	Proposed Budget 2010			Approved Budget 2009	
	Expenditures	Revenue		Expenditures	Revenue
<u>Administrative</u>					
Audit	\$950			\$900	
Bank Charges	\$100			\$75	
Conference & Travel	\$500			\$500	
Insurance	\$500			\$500	
Postage	\$585			\$585	
Supplies & Hospitalitys	\$500			\$500	
Equipment	\$300			\$300	
Contingency	\$425			\$425	
Interest		\$375			\$820
Total Administrative	\$3,860	\$375		\$3,785	\$820
<u>Publications</u>					
Directories of Libraries	\$9,400	\$10,700		\$9,400	\$10,700
Newsletter	\$9,290			\$9,290	
Statistics					
P.L. Statistics	\$2,950	\$100		\$2,850	\$100
College Libraries	\$0			\$0	
Web Page					
Domain Name	\$45			\$50	
EventKeeper Calendar	\$240			\$350	
Web Site Template	\$60			N/A	
Total Publications	\$21,985	\$10,800		\$21,940	\$10,800
<u>Divisions</u>					
Academic & Special	\$2,800	\$1,800		\$3,500	\$2,000
Children's Services	\$8,000	\$1,100		\$8,000	\$850
Clerical Services	\$6,700	\$4,550		\$6,300	\$5,150
Media Services	\$5,165	\$3,370		\$2,885	\$1,120
Public Relations/Programming	\$2,400	\$750		\$2,400	\$750
Reference & Adult Services	\$5,500	\$3,630		\$5,350	\$1,350
Young Adult Services	\$5,820	\$1,700		\$6,120	\$2,138
Total Divisions	\$36,385	\$16,900		\$34,555	\$13,358
<u>Committees</u>					
Archives	\$100			\$100	
Civil Service	\$100			\$100	
Computers & Technology	\$100			\$100	
Constitution & By-laws	\$50			\$50	
Continuing Education	\$100			\$100	
Finance	\$50			\$50	
Health Services	\$50			\$50	
Institutional Services	\$50			\$50	
Intellectual Freedom	\$50			\$50	
LDA Award	\$450	\$100		\$450	\$100
Legislation	\$100			\$100	
Video Fund	\$300			\$322	
Membership	\$1,115	\$22,500		\$1,050	\$30,000
Nominating	\$150			\$195	
Outreach	\$150			\$150	
Personnel Issues & Prof. Con.	\$530			\$50	
Promotions	\$80	\$100		\$200	
Scholarship & Recruitment	\$100			\$350	
Technical Services	\$100			\$250	
Total Committees	\$3,725	\$22,700		\$3,767	\$30,100

REMINDER : Budget Vote on Friday, November 13, 2009

NCLA PROPOSED 2010 BUDGET (Continued)

Grants					
RIF	\$1,000			\$1,000	
Mercy First (formerly St. Mary's School)	\$1,350			\$1,350	
Total Grants	\$2,350	\$0		\$2,350	\$0
Educational Services					
Civil Service	\$1,000	\$250		\$1,350	
Continuing Education	\$830	\$1,200		\$430	\$200
Health Services	\$500	\$50		\$450	\$50
Intellectual Freedom	\$450	\$130		\$600	\$275
Total Educational Services	\$2,780	\$1,630		\$2,830	\$525
Scholarships					
Andy Ippolito	\$2,000	\$250		\$2,000	
Education Grant	\$1,500	\$150		\$1,500	
Total Scholarships	\$3,500	\$400		\$3,500	\$0
Events					
Blood Drive	\$0	\$0		\$50	
Ducks Game Tickets	\$1,400	\$1,400		\$1,400	\$1,500
Annual Legislative Breakfast	\$500			\$500	
End of Year Program	\$10,000	\$5,000		\$10,000	\$6,000
LILRC					
Documentary Heritage	\$625			\$625	
LILRC Annual Conference	\$625			\$625	
Library Legislation Day Bus Trip	\$6,000	\$0		\$6,000	\$100
LI Library Conference	\$2,500	\$0		\$100	\$1,500
LI Reads	\$1,000			\$1,000	
NCLA 75th Anniversary	N/A			\$5,000	N/A
Total Events	\$22,650	\$6,400		\$25,300	\$9,100
Total Expenditures	\$97,235			\$98,027	
Total Income		\$59,205			\$64,703
Difference Expenditures over Income	(\$38,030)			(\$33,324)	

SAVE THE DATE

Join LILRC with guest speaker Ellyssa Kroski for
Libraries and the Mobile Web
on November 16, 2009 from 10AM-12PM at the Brentwood Public Library.

We are entering a time of ubiquitous computing, one in which the Web is becoming increasingly mobile. People are able to access information from home, work, and everywhere in between thanks to an explosion of new personal mobile devices. This session will talk about what the mobile Web is, explore today's cutting edge mobile devices and services, and discuss what can be accomplished with mobile Web applications. We will also take a look at library mobile initiatives, ways to create a mobile experience, and how to get started with the mobile Web.

Please visit the LILRC website at www.lilrc.org for more information.

Library Briefs



Photographer Neil Astrow (right) filmed Barbara Wilson sharing her story with News Anchor Michael Gargiulo for a segment which aired on "Today in New York", commemorating the 70th anniversary of the sinking of the *Athenia*. The *Long Island Daily Press* article with a photograph of Mrs. Wilson, then Barbara Rodman, appears in the upper left corner of the picture.

WNBC Anchor Michael Gargiulo interviewed Garden City's Barbara Rodman Wilson at the *Garden City Public Library* on Wednesday, August 19, 2009. Mr. Gargiulo interviewed Mrs. Wilson for a program segment commemorating the 70th anniversary of the sinking of the *Athenia*, which aired during WNBC's "Today in New York" on September 3, 2009. Mrs. Wilson survived the sinking of the S.S. *Athenia*, which was the first ship to be torpedoed by the German U-boat U-30 on September 3, 1939.

The *Lynbrook Public Library* held an 80th Anniversary Celebration on October 24-25, 2009. Musical entertainment from a roaming barbershop quartet and Crazy Henry & Banjo Bob entered the public

on Saturday, and library was transformed into an 18-hole mini-golf course on Sunday.



The Wheeler Avenue School was awarded the Waldinger Cup for the highest number of students who finished the *Henry Waldinger Memorial Library's* Summer Reading Club on Tuesday, October 20, 2009. The trophy cup will remain on display at the school for the remainder of the school year. This was the school's third win in a row.

RASD UPDATE

Those of you who attended RASD's annual breakfast on September 25, 2009, were treated to some fun facts and a delightful presentation by author and speaker, Peter Bales, as well as a full-course meal at the beautiful Carlyle on the Green at Bethpage State Park. Thank you for making that program such a success.



On October 13, 2009, RASD worked with PR to present a lovely poetry workshop entitled, "Need a Sonnet? I'm on It!" An authoritative speaker from Poetry House answered questions and giving us tips for our collections — all in verse! A scrumptious breakfast was served in iambic pentameter.

NCLA members are always welcome to join the RASDafarians at our monthly board meetings. We'll be getting together next on Thursday, November 5, 2009, 9:30 am at NLS. For information, please call Karen Shaw-Widman/ 516.794.2570 x253.

Library Staff Win Big at Bike Town



Art Friedman and His New Bicycle

For the past seven years, *Bicycling* magazine and the MetLife Foundation have answered the question, *Could a Bicycle Change Someone's World?*, by giving away bicycles across the country and following up with the winners.

Nassau County was picked as one of this year's "BikeTowns": individuals who wanted to win a bike were asked to simply write a brief essay about how a bike would change their world.

The bikes were distributed at Eisenhower Park on September 3, 2009. As people approached the awards ceremony, they quickly realized that several winners and their supporters were library staff from Nassau!

The lucky library winners included Judith Kelsey (Nassau Library System), Ilgar Guo (Uniondale), Nancy Bertrand-Loesch (Bethpage schools), and Donna Elliott (North Merrick). Art Friedman (Nassau Community College), who was there to support his brother-in-law (who, guess what, won a bike!), was selected at random to win one of two bikes that were unclaimed.

Happy cycling!

*Elizabeth Olesh
NLS*



Judy Kelsey gets ready to hit the road on her new bike.

People in the News

The Garden City Public Library celebrated the retirement of the Director's Secretary *Lorraine Spanier* after 26 years of service, effective August 6, 2009. Ms. Spanier served under four library directors, including 23 years with retired director Alan Roeckel.



Garden City Public Library's Lorraine Spanier retires after 26 years of service.

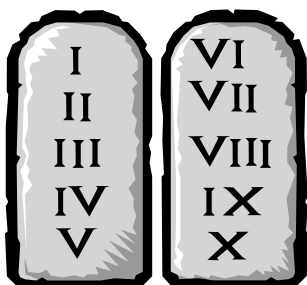


(L to R): Lorraine Spanier is recognized for her service by retired Garden City director Alan Roeckel.

News from the PR/Programming Division

The PR/Programming Division had its second planning meeting for the 2010 Talent Showcase (March 10, 2010) in early October, and it is still looking for recommendations for music, entertainment, crafts, lectures, or miscellaneous programs. Please forward names, program and contact information as well as copies of promotional materials to Angie Schenker at Baldwin Public Library - Phone 223-6228 ext 40 or e-mail (aschenker@baldwinpl.org).

The PR/Programming September meeting took place on Tuesday, September 8, 2009, from 9:30 am to 12 noon at NLS and was a Grant Writing Workshop. The presenter was Heather Hanson, an experienced professional grant writer of Hanson Development Consulting.



Her presentation covered the "Ten Commandments of Successful Grant Writing" and she received a lot of positive feedback from the participants in the workshop. Heather Hanson emphasized careful reading (read it 3 times) of the application,

getting to know the program officer, knowing how much everything actually costs and involving your co-workers in the process. Also be prepared to win the grant, factor in 'acts of God' such as computer problems and don't forget to thank the people and organization for the grant.

The October meeting was a special Breakfast Meeting on Tuesday, October 13, 2009, at 9:30 am to 12 noon at NLS and covered "Everything You Wanted to Know About Poetry." RASD and the PR/Programming Division co-sponsored this program on poetry collection development and promotion.

The speaker was Marsha Howard from Poets House, and she also covered new poets to consider adding to your collection. From a PR/Programming point of view, she discussed how do we promote the books and what kind of programs (readings, writing workshops, open mics, etc) can we use to advance poetry?



The November meeting will be "Mind Massage ... A Stress Management Strategy," given by Mona Gulino and Dr. Joseph Criscuoli on Tuesday, November 10, 2009, at 9:30 am at NLS. Stress can be both a negative factor and a positive factor in your life, and it all depends on how the individual perceives, understands and responds to stressful situations. This engaging PowerPoint presentation, interactive exercises designed to build self awareness and practical strategies will help you reduce stress, enhance mental focus and promote a sense of well-being. Watch for flyers with more details.

*Angie Schenker
PR/Programming
President*

Announcing

2010 Slate of Officers Clerical Services Division

President - Angela Khilnani

Vice-President - To be determined

Secretary - Jeanette Nicoletti

Treasurer - Therese Rudden

The Nassau County
Library Association
Continuing Education
Committee

presents

Is Anybody Listening? The
Ten Worst Listening Habits
of Most Americans

A lecture and discussion by
Joseph Coppolino, Ph.D.,
Professor of
Communications,
Nassau Community College,
(Back by Popular Demand!)



Listening effective-
ness can be improved
tremendously and imme-
diately by understanding
and overcoming the most
common barriers to it. This
workshop promises to be an
informative and entertaining
approach to the subject of
listening.

Applications to inter-
personal relationships, as
well as business and
professional settings, will be
discussed. Dr. Coppolino
has testified as an expert
witness in listening before
the Supreme Court of the
State of New York and is the
author of *Is Anybody
Listening: A Guide To
Effective Listening*.

Friday, November 20, 2009
9:30 a.m. to Noon

2.5 contact hours--.25 CEUs

Nassau Library System,
Andrew Geddes Meeting
Room
900 Jerusalem Avenue,
Uniondale

\$10--NCLA members and
M.L.S. students
\$20--nonmembers

Please respond by November
13, 2009, to Peter Cirona,
Massapequa Public Library,
40 Harbor Lane, Massapequa
Park, NY 11762 via NLS or
postal mail.

Pcirona@massapequalibrary.org, 516-799-0770, ext. 305.

*Please make checks payable
to NCLA.

**2009
NCLA NEWSLETTER
DEADLINES**



The deadlines for 2009
NCLA Newsletters are:

December 2009 Issue Fri., Nov. 13, 2009

Year-in-Review Issue Fri., Jan. 8, 2010

Return all information to:

Mamie Eng, NCLA Newsletter Editor
c/o Henry Waldinger Memorial Library
60 Verona Place
Valley Stream, NY 11582

NCLA MEDIA SERVICES DIVISION UPDATE

The NCLA Media Services Division held a discussion and demonstration of SONY readers on Tuesday, October 6, 2009, at the Nassau Library System. Daniel Albohn, Manager of New Business Development, Sony Electronics, Inc., Digital Reading Business Division, gave a demonstration of various SONY readers and discussed how SONY is working to market its e-readers to libraries.



There was great interest in the different types of readers available, SONY vs. Kindle, availability of titles, downloading, and licensing, including pricing, Overdrive, and the NYPL e-book service.

Although many questions were answered by Mr. Albohn, there are still many issues that need to be resolved by libraries as this new media format evolves and as prices come down to make it more affordable to libraries and consumers.

News from the Children's Services Division

The NCLA Children's Services Division and the Young Adult Services Division are co-sponsoring another Library Bowl on Friday, November 13, 2009, at 7:00 p.m., at the Farmingdale Lanes, 999 Conklin St., Farmingdale. Library staff and friends are invited to have fun at this annual event.

The cost is \$10.00 for NCLA members and \$20.00 for non-members, which covers food, soft drinks, cosmic bowling, and shoes. There is a cash bar and payment at door is acceptable.

RSVP to Bonnie Markel, Merrick Library, 2279 Merrick Ave., Merrick, NY 11566, by Friday, October 30, 2009. Checks should be made out to NCLA. Include your phone and e-mail for confirmation of payment.



The slate of candidates for the 2010 Children's Services Division Executive Board is as follows:

President : Jacqueline Fitts

Vice-President/President-Elect : Jessikah Chautin

Treasurer : Bonnie Markel (Serving 2nd term)

Recording Secretary: Todd Schlitt

Corresponding Secretary: Kerry Nugent

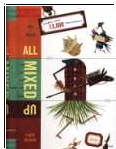
Director: Gail Goldfarb (Serving 2nd term)

Director: Angela Cinquemani

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The NCLA Children's Services Division will hold its annual author breakfast on Monday, December 14, 2009, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the Carlyle on the Green.

Spend a morning with award-winning designer, illustrator, and author *Carin Berger*. She will share artwork, her "process," and will discuss storytelling, both visual and written.



Carin Berger is an award winning designer, illustrator, and author. She has worked in London, San Francisco, and New York City. Her illustrations, cut paper collages, are made with scraps of ephemera, used clothing catalogues, and old ticket stubs. Basically, any odds and ends that she can find. Her first two children's books, *Not So True Stories* and *Unreasonable Rhymes*, and *All Mixed Up*, were published by Chronicle Books and she has illustrated *Behold the Bold Umbrellaphant* by Jack Prelutsky, Greenwillow Books, 2006. The *Little Yellow Leaf* and *Ok Go!*, both published by Greenwillow Books, are her two most recent books.

Books will be available for purchase and signing. Door prizes! CEUs awarded.

The cost is \$15.00 for NCLA members and \$25.00 for non-members. RSVP to Bonnie Markel, Merrick Library, 2279 Merrick Ave., Merrick, NY 11566, by Monday, December 7, 2009. Checks should be made out to NCLA. Include your phone and e-mail for confirmation of payment.

LILRC

Long Island Library Resources Council

Annual Meeting November 19, 2009, 9:30 a.m. DeSeversky Center N. Y. Institute of Technology



Directions to the NYIT de Seversky Center:
http://www.nyit.edu/about_nyit/locations_maps_and_directions/old_westbury_directions/de_seversky_center_directions/

From Points East:

Long Island Expressway (495) to Exit 41N, Route 106/107. Travel north ½ mile, bear left at road divide; and head north on Route 107. Turn left on Rout 25A (Northern Boulevard). Travel west for 1.5 miles (five lights). Turn left at second NYIT entrance, West Campus Road, (across from De Matteis Center entrance). Follow signs to de Seversky Center.

From Points West:

Take the Long Island Expressway (495) to Exit 39, Glen Cove Road. Travel north to Route 25A (Northern Boulevard). Turn right on 25A. Travel ¾ mile east (two lights). Turn right at first NYIT entrance, West Campus Road, (across from De Matteis Center entrance). Follow signs to de Seversky Center.

Agenda

Call to Order
Approval of the Agenda
Business Meeting
Approval of Minutes
Treasurer's Report
Introduction of New Trustees
Director's Report
Appreciations
Morning Program
Guest Speaker:
Bernard A. Margolis,
NY State Librarian

Return registration form and check, payable to LILRC, to:

Connie Litcher
Long Island Library Resources Council
627 N. Sunrise Service Rd.
Bellport NY 11713-1540

- Closing date for registration is Monday, November 9, 2009.
- No registration confirmations will be sent.

Phone: 631-675-1570
Fax: 631-675-1573

LILRC Annual Meeting, November 19, 2009, 9:30 a.m.
Registration Fee: \$35.00—includes lunch

Name	_____
Institution	_____
Address	_____
Phone	_____
Fax	_____
E-mail	_____

Arthur Friedman, NCLA Membership Chair
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 Valley Stream, NY 11582

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2009 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Date _____
 Name _____
 Library _____
 (or Address) _____

 email Address: _____
 Position: _____

SCHEDULE OF DUES – Calendar Year 2009		
Salary: 0 - \$15,000		\$ 15.00
\$15,001 - 30,000		25.00
30,001 – 45,000		35.00
45,001 – 60,000		40.00
60,001 -		45.00

DIVISIONS (Select choices: 1, 2, ...)

Academic & Special Libraries _____
 Children's Services _____
 Clerical Services _____
 Media Services _____
 PR Services/Programming _____
 Reference & Adult Services _____
 Young Adult Services _____

Institutions & Vendors **	45.00
Students, Retirees, Trustees, Friends	10.00
Additional Divisions	3.00
Total Dues Enclosed	\$ _____
Donation – NCLA Scholarship Fund	\$ _____
Donation – NCLA Education Grant Fund	\$ _____

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